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	REQUEST FOR A CONTINUING APPLICA	ATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)
Sir:		
This is a reques	st for filing a continuing application under 37 C	CFR 1.53(b) a
(X) continuation	on application of: application of:	. ,
	Pending Prior Appl	ication
Application No.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Title Methods	and Systems of Using Result Buffers in Parity	Operations
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( ) A separate	e paper claiming direct priority to a foreign app	olication is enclosed herewith. A certified copy
of the for	eign application will be provided in due course	<b>)</b> .
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	Pending Prior Application  filed 03-14-2001  a Methods and Systems of Using Result Buffers in Parity Operations  Copy of Application  Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the drawings.  Enclosed is a new specification, including new drawings.  Oath or Declaration  Enclosed is a copy of the prior Declaration (37 CFR 1.63(d)).  Enclosed is a newly executed Declaration (original or copy).  Foreign Priority - 35 USC 119  Foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. 119 has been claimed in prior Application No.  filed on	
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which is hereby incorporated by reference herein.

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## **Inventorship Statement**

( )	Delete the following named individuals as inventors in this application in accordance with 37 CFR	1.53(b)
	as a result of a change in the claimed subject matter:	

## App intment of Associat Attorn y

(	) Recognize as Associate Attorney or Agent	
	Registration No.	

- ( ) authorization is hereby granted by signature below of the Attorney or Agent of record
- ( ) the Associate Attorney or Agent may not have the authority to appoint other Attorneys or Agents

#### **Communications**

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### Other Amendments

(X) Enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the amended claims.

#### Fee Calculation

(X) The filing fee is calculated below for (X) Utility ( ) Design

CLAIMS AS FILED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY					
(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE		5) ΓALS
TOTAL CLAIMS	35 — 20	15	X \$18	\$	270
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5 — 3	2	X \$86	\$	172
ANY MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS	0		\$290	\$	0
BASIC FEE: Design (\$340.00 ); Utility (\$770.00 )				\$	770
TOTAL FILING FEE				\$	1,212
TOTAL CHARGES TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT				\$	1,212

to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Oldfield et al.

Lance R. Sadler

Attorney/Agent for Applicant(s)

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